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Re: Duane Marine Salvage Site

Dear Ms. Thompson:

Please be advised that the cooperating respondents have received payment of their June 1985 solicitation from Perth Amboy Dry Dock. This represents about 61% of the total assessed to that firm. We have not received a copy of a cooperation letter (required to be sent to you directly or through us by July 8, 1985) or a signed Trust Agreement or Amended Trust Agreement.

They are on the road to cooperation.

Very truly yours,

CARPENTER, BENNETT & MORRISSEY

BY:

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